



PATENT  
450100-03438

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Akira Shimazu et al.  
Serial No. : 09/923,083  
Filed : August 6, 2001  
For : VIDEO INFORMATION REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND REPRODUCING METHOD  
OF VIDEO INFORMATION  
Examiner : Michael P. Van Handel  
Art Unit : 2623

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below.  
☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	11	Minus	20	0 x	\$50 (25)	= \$00.00
Independent claims	4	Minus	4	0 x	\$200 (100)	= \$00.00
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$00.00

- \* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.  
\*\* If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.  
\*\*\* If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$360.00 has been previously paid ☐, or is paid herewith ☐.
- ☒ This response is being filed within the first month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a one-month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$120.00 is attached, which covers the cost of ☐ additional claims ☒ petition for extension of time.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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Name of Applicant, Assignee or Registered Representative

Signature

January 29, 2007

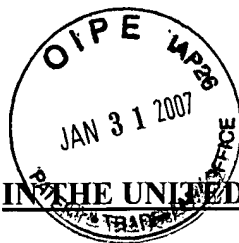
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Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed on October 18, 2006, having an extended statutory period for response set to expire on February 20, 2007 (February 18, 2007 being a Sunday and February 19, 2007 being a

holiday). Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$120.00 as payment of the extension-of-time fee.

In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.